

Born on March 9, 1955 in Alabama, United States.
Passed away on May 18, 2019 in Alabama, United States
64 years old.

Services: Saturday, May 25, 2019, 11:00 a.m. Visitation followed by 12 Noon Funeral.

Location: Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church, 803 Maple Street, Birmingham, Alabama 35210.

Broderick "Ricky" Jones was born March 9, 1955 to the late Joseph and Eugenia (Bunkley) Jones in Birmingham, AL. He accepted Christ at an early age. He was a proud graduate of both Our Lady of Fatima Catholic School and Woodlawn High School. He continued his education and football career at Tuskegee University. He was signed as an undrafted Free Agent with the Cleveland Browns in 1977. With the Browns, Ricky played linebacker from 1978-1982. He ended his professional football career with the Baltimore Colts from 1982-1984. He graduated from Tuskegee University in 1989 and was later inducted into the Tuskegee University Athletic Hall of Fame (Class of 2003).

Once playing was over, Ricky renewed his love for the game by becoming a college coach. He was a defensive skills coach at several universities: Liberty University, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Tuskegee University, Miles College, and Kentucky State University. To cherish his memory, he leaves behind his five beautiful children: Eric (Lacrecia) Burks, Kimberly (William) Henderson, Jason Grandison, Twillie Cottinghm and Connikki Stinson; five (5) grandchildren: Olivia, Ava and Devin Burks (Eric), Jalia Grandison (Jason) and Eli Taylor (Connikki); Special friend and caregiver: Tameka Lamb; and a host of family, friends, and former high school, college, and NFL football teammates.

This memorial website was created in memory of our loved one, Broderick "Ricky" Jones 64 years old, born on March 9, 1955 and passed away on May 18, 2019. We will remember him forever.